

# Student and Staff Community Achievement Afternoon Tea 2019

WELCOME

# Michelle 't Hart

- **Albany Eisteddfod**

Winner Instrumental Duet and Ensemble

# Michelle 't Hart

Albany  
Eisteddfod



# Karsen Badger

## ○ Porridge Bikers

Karsen participated in a 360km two-day cycle from Albany to Hopetoun to raise money for disadvantaged kids in the Albany Region.

Over \$3000 was raised during the ride.

Karsen was the only student in the ride and the first rider under 18 years old in the annual fundraisers 20 years history.

He covered over 270km in two-days; a massive achievement for a twelve-year-old boy.

# Karsen Badger Porridge Bikers



# Hudson Bell

- **Gondwana National Choral School in Sydney (January)**
- **ALOTCo's Beauty and the Beast Production**
  - Ensemble
  - Knife
  - Fish man selling fish at the markets
- **Soloist in Albany Sinfonia 'Night of Song'**
  - Sang Fuge for 3 Tin horns in a trio
  - Waltzed with Josephine Staude for Bonnie and Matt's duet in the Matilda acts

# Hudson Bell

- Gondwana National Choral School
- Beauty and the Beast
- Night of Song



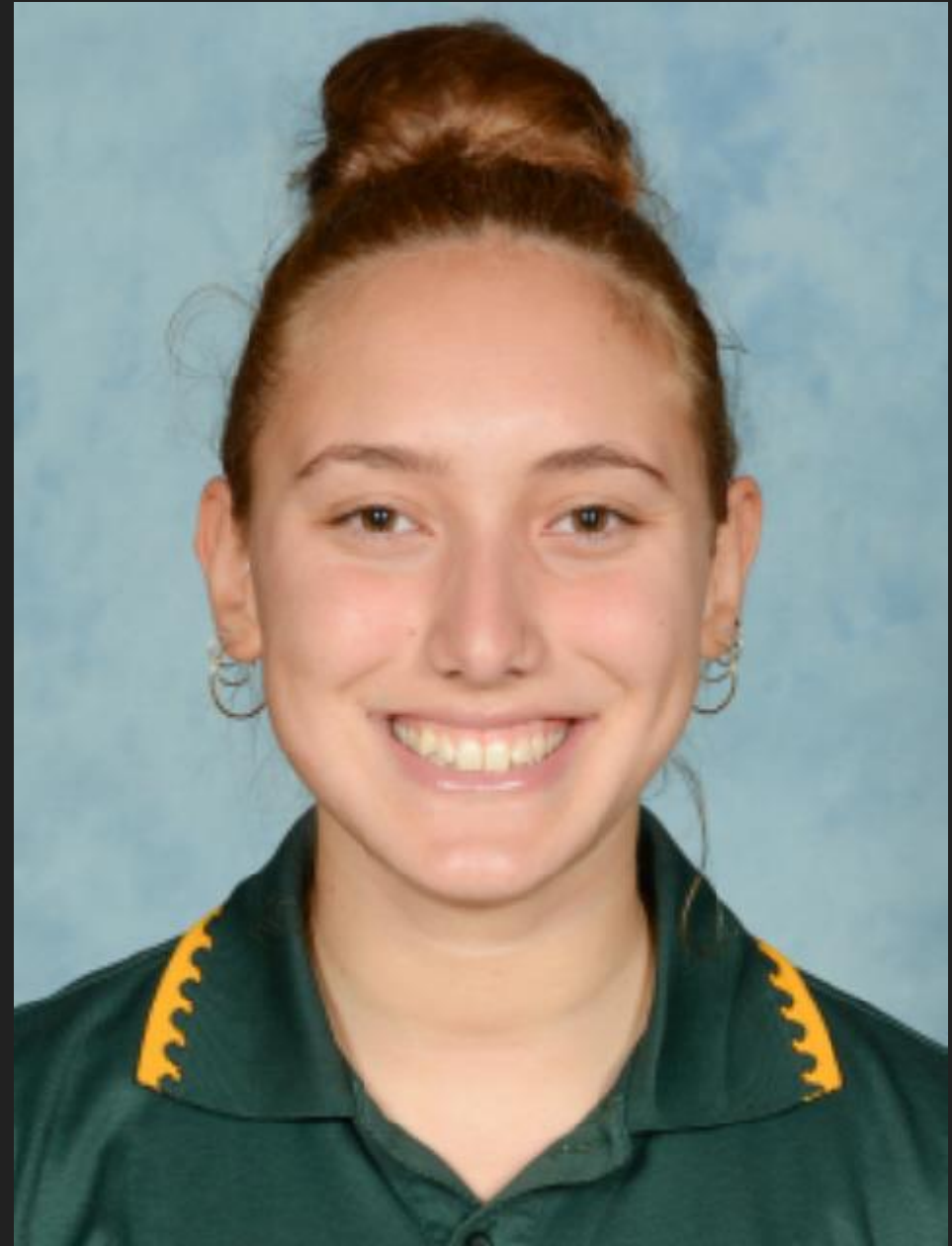
# Tegan Castellaro

## ○ World's Greatest Shave

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# Tegan Castellaro

World's Greatest  
Shave



# Matt Clarke

## ○ Albany Sinfonia's 'Night of Song'

Soloist for Night of Song Production

# Matt Clarke

Night of Song



# Tayissa Condren

## ○ Australian National Soapbox Championships

On June 2 2019 at the Australian National Soapbox Championships, Tayissa Condren came equal First on points with Perth's fastest soapbox driver.

Tayissa resulted 2<sup>nd</sup> on a count back in her first season as a senior, and only her 3<sup>rd</sup> drive in a brand new soapbox.

Her times were only 1 second from the track record which hasn't been broken since 2015, and believe it's only a matter of time before Tayissa breaks this record, being the only female in the 57 years of soapbox history to beat the senior track record, which she has achieved this already three times in the junior track records.

# Tayissa Condren

Australian National  
Soapbox  
Championships



# Kensley Crowley

- Youth State Parliament - Member for Bunbury
- Albany's 2019 PRIDE event committee member
- Albany Youth Advisory Council member
- Finalist – City of Albany Australia Day Awards (Youth)

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# Izanne du Toit

## ○ Air Force Cadets

Izanne-Mari du Toit, has been involved in the Air Force Cadets in Albany for the past three years. Her achievements include the completion of numerous cadet officer courses. These courses are completed during the last three weeks of January, during the school holidays and count toward her WACE.

Commendations include perseverance and leadership. Her latest achievement is that of Warrant Officer and she is currently in the final stages of inclusion in the Cabin Crew gap-year program 2020. This will take her across the world as part of the flight crew accompanying the Prime Minister and other high-ranking government dignitaries in their official capacity.

She has led numerous parades during commemorative events around Albany and was commended for her actions and quick thinking, in correcting the official marching sequences at Anzac Peace Park on Memorial Day.

She is currently the highest ranking cadet at 705 Squadron

# Izanne du Toit

Air Force Cadets



# Charlotte Edwards

## ○ Women's State Country Hockey team

Selected in State Under 18 Development squad for Hockey.

Charlotte has just been selected in the Western Australian Women's State Country Hockey team who will travel to Victoria 1-12 August 2019.

# Charlotte Edwards

Women's State  
Country Hockey  
Team



# Sascha Favas

## ○ ALOTCo's Beauty and the Beast Production

This is Sascha's third major production with ALOTCo, having also been in Mary Poppins and Sound of Music.

Having twelve shows to do over the month of May with many late night rehearsals for three months prior. Having to juggle school work, exams and shows was a challenge but a rewarding one.

Sascha was a part of the ensemble, having a few roles to play as villager and plate.

# Sascha Favas

Beauty and the Beast



# Hannah Ford

## ○ UN Youth

Chosen by UN Youth as one of 12 young Australians to spend a two week cultural and ambassadorial exchange in Timor Leste in July 2019

## ○ Rotary Exchange

Chosen as a Rotary Exchange student for 2020

## ○ Albany Youth Advisory Council member

# Hannah Ford

- UN Youth
- Rotary Exchange
- Albany Youth  
Advisory Council  
member



# Caty Liron

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# Mabel Markey

## ○ Barunga Community

Barunga Community (a small community approximately 450kms south of Darwin).

Mabel and her family have been working and attending this festival for the last five years. Their yearly journey to “be in community”.

This year, Mabel reached new levels within community. She played in the Barunga under 15s girls football team. They won the four games they played and consequently won their level.

Mabel also spent several days assisting the rest of the team “bump in” the festival. Setting up the aesthetics of the festival – sculptures, flags, bunting, hanging signage, etc. Being within the community and assisting community members with information about the festival.

She has a close relationship with many people in Barunga, this she has developed over several years. This year, Mabel’s family from East Arnhem Land also played at Barunga. They felt very fortunate to see them and meet more family.

# Mabel Markey

Barunga  
Community



# Charlotte Markland

## ○ UWA WACE Revision Courses

Charlotte applied for and was selected to attend UWA's WACE Revision Courses in Perth in the July holidays

# Charlotte Markland

UWA WACE  
Revision Courses



# Taadjiduk Marsden-Coyne

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Taadjiduk applied for and was selected to attend UWA's WACE Revision Courses in Perth in the July holidays

# Taadjiduk Marsden- Coyne

UWA WACE

Revision Courses



# Fergus Martin

## ○ WA State Championships – Surf Lifesaving Winner State Title - U15 Board Race

Fergus achieved his Bronze Medallion and Inflatable rescue boat crew certificate this season. Throughout the season he contributed a total of 25 volunteer hours in water safety and rostered Patrols.

## ○ Youth Lifesaver of the Year

Fergus was awarded Youth Lifesaver of the Year at the Annual Albany SLSC awards nights in April. He rowed for his first season as a part of an U17 Surf Boat Crew.

Fergus aspires to be a part of the Emergency Response Crew and hopes to commence his Jet Ski training once he is 17.

# Fergus Martin

- Surf Lifesaving State Title U15 Board Race
- Youth Lifesaver of the Year



# Cian McCleery

## ○ Albany Sinfonia's Night of Song

Member of Albany Sinfonia for their 'Night of Song' Concert

Cian  
McCleery  
Night of Song



# Hamish McGregor

## ○ ALOTCo's Beauty and the Beast Production

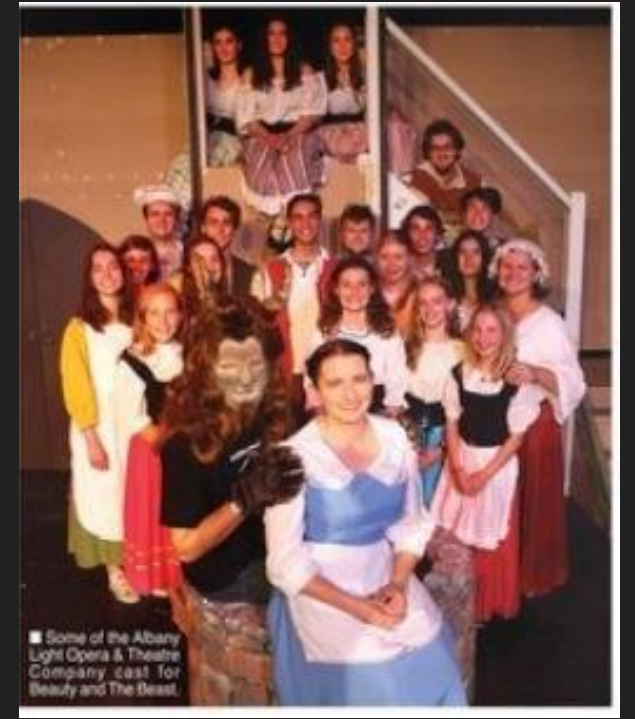
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## ○ Albany Sinfonia's 'Night of Song'

Mini Soloist for Night of Song Production

# Hamish McGregor

- Beauty and the Beast
- Night of Song



# Ewan O'Brien

## ○ Albany Eisteddfod

Winner of Miscellaneous Instruments Section

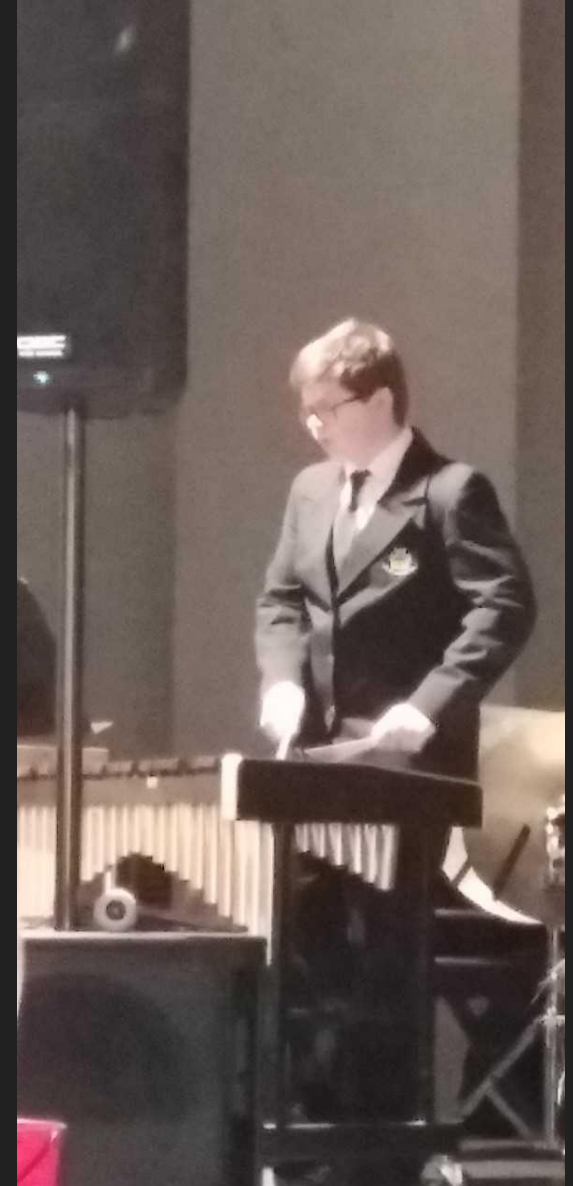
Member of the winning School Concert Band

## ○ Albany City Band

## ○ Albany Sinfonia's Night of Song

# Ewan O'Brien

- Albany Eisteddfod
- Albany City Band
- Albany Sinfonia



# Fred Opuni

## ○ State Track and Field

Held in January, Fred participated in the State Track and Field Event.

He came 4<sup>th</sup> overall in his 100mts; 6<sup>th</sup> in 200mtrs; and 8<sup>th</sup> in Discus.

Fred is involved in Little Athletics locally, then went onto Country Champs which led to States.

# Fred Opuni

State Track and  
Field



# Jake Shepherd

## ○ State Swimming

State Age Swimming Championships in Perth: Bronze for 14U 4x50m Freestyle Relay

## ○ National Swimming

National Age Swimming Championships in Adelaide:

- Albany SC 15yr male 4 x 50m Freestyle relay
- Albany SC 15yr male 4 x 50m Medley relay

## ○ State Senior Surf Lifesaving

WA State Senior Surf Lifesaving Championships in Scarborough:

- Finalist - U15 male Ironman and U15 male Surf Race
- Silver - U15 male Board rescue
- Silver - U15 male board relay

# Jake Shepherd

- State Swimming
- National Swimming
- State Surf Lifesaving



# Ned Shepherd

## ○ State Swimming

### **WA State Junior Swimming Championships in Perth:**

- 2 x Gold - 11 yr male 400m freestyle & 200m Backstroke
- 2 x Silver - 11yr male 100m freestyle & 100m backstroke
- Bronze - 11yr male 50m backstroke

### **SA State Swimming Championships in Adelaide:**

- Bronze – 11yr male 50m Backstroke

## ○ State Nipper Surf Lifesaving

### **WA State Nipper Surf Lifesaving Championships in Scarborough:**

- Finalist - U12 male surf race
- Silver - U12 male board rescue
- Bronze - U 12 Male iron man

# Ned Shepherd

- State Swimming
- State Surf Lifesaving



# Pemba Spargo

## ○ State Junior Surfing Titles

Winner of Women's Open Division at State Junior Surfing Titles WAVEFEST (Premier South Coast surf comp) – Denmark May 18-19 (received \$1000 prize)

# Pemba Spargo

## State Junior Surfing Titles



# Bonnie Staude

## ○ Gondwana Voices

Selected (through auditions) to go on an international tour with National Children's Choir Gondwana Voices to London and Germany in May 2019.

The tour culminated in a performance at the Berliner Philharmonie concert hall with the Berlin Radio Symphony Orchestra.

## ○ Albany Eisteddfod

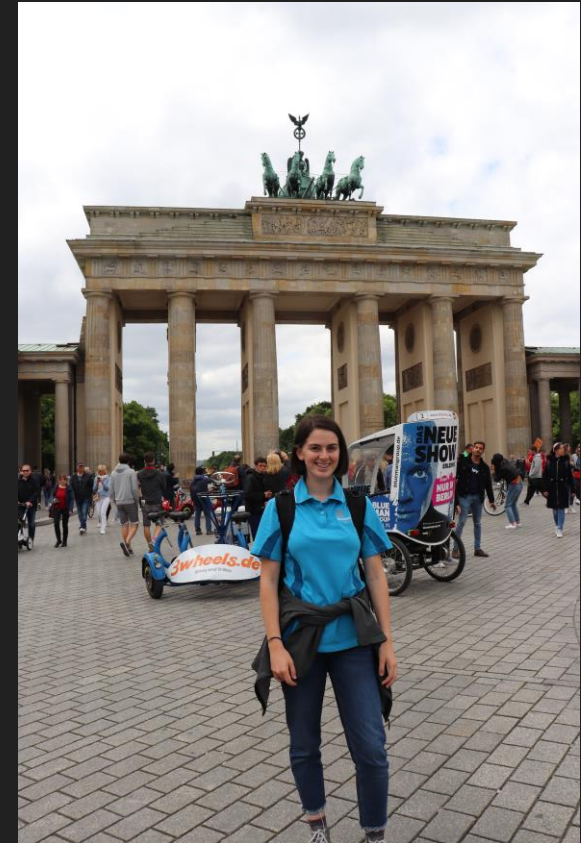
- Winner of Voice Section at Albany Eisteddfod
- Winner of Voice Groups section (with Josie and Maggie) at Albany Eisteddfod

## ○ Albany Sinfonia's Night of Song

Soloist for Albany Sinfonia's Night of Song

# Bonnie Staude

- Gondwana Voices
- Albany Eisteddfod
- Night of Song



# Josephine Staude

## ○ Albany Eisteddfod

Winner of Voice Groups section (with Bonnie and Maggie) at Albany Eisteddfod

# Josephine Staude

Albany Eisteddfod



# Maggie Staude

## ○ Albany Eisteddfod

Winner of Voice Groups section (with Bonnie and Josephine) at Albany Eisteddfod

## ○ ALOTCo's Beauty and the Beast Production

Having twelve shows to do over the month of May and with many late night rehearsals for three months prior.

# Maggie Staude

- Albany Eisteddfod
- Beauty and the Beast



# Taj Stubber

## ○ Guest Speaker at Albany's Longest Lunch

Taj is one who loves his sport & his knowledge of it is outstanding. This led to him doing Work Placement with the Albany Advertiser last year. To this day he continues to regularly do the Social Media side for his local sporting Club, Railways & still quite often does some reporting for the Albany Advertiser on the weekends.

While he was at the Albany Advertiser they did a story on McHappy Day which raises funds for the Ronald McDonald House. It was here that Taj met Darren & Tracey Tyrell who are the Licensees for McDonalds, Albany.

Darren & Tracey asked him to be a Guest Speaker at Albany's Longest Lunch hosted by McDonalds Albany and held at the Albany Golf Club, raising vital funds for the Ronald McDonald House Charities WA. Approximately 100 local prominent Business People, including Rick Wilson attended. He had to give a 5-minute talk on his & our Family's experience staying at the Ronald McDonald House while he was receiving treatment for Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia. They normally get the Parent of a Child Survivor to do the Guest speaking but as she was so impressed with Taj she asked him to do it & it was the first time they had actually had a child's perspective of their time in the House.

Over \$18,000 was raised over the afternoon, going towards regional Families stays in Perth during times of medical illness that little bit less daunting.

Taj has also spoken to the Albany Make-A-Wish team about being the recipient of a Wish while going through treatment, as he was the first Wish Child when the Albany Branch started 10 years ago. Make-A-Wish solely relies on fundraising to be able to grant a sick child his or her wish and to see the smile on that child's face when something so good comes out of something that is not very pleasant to go through as a child is heart-warming.

# Taj Stubber

## Guest Speaker



# Imogen Taylor

## ○ ALOTCo's Beauty and the Beast Production

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# Imogen Taylor

Beauty and the  
Beast



# Lily Turbill

## ○ Albany Eisteddfod

Adjudicators prize for Low Strings at Albany Eisteddfod

# Lily Turbill

Albany Eisteddfod



# Lila Wenzel

## ○ World Scholars Cup

Participated in the international competition “World Scholars Cup” held in Perth on 30 May and 1 June.

Lila has qualified to go to the global round; teams and travel arrangements are being finalised at the moment.

## ○ Albany Eisteddfod

Adjudicators prize for Piano at Albany Eisteddfod

# Lila Wenzel

- World Scholars Cup
- Albany Eisteddfod



# Declan Wilkes

## ○ Tae kwon Do Black Belt

Having started Tae kwon Do in 2013 with Dragon Martial Arts, Declan achieved his first Dan black belt in 2017. This year is his 6th year training in Martial Arts and he is going for his 2nd Dan Black belt in October 2019.

To achieve a Black Belt, they must move through the ranks of the belts, with some belts taking 2-12 months to pass and others 2-3 years. The Black belt exams are tiring and long with the attendant being tested on all previous belts, kicks, grabs and breaking boards.

Declan has represented Dragon Martial Arts by competing in tournaments, here in Albany along with other Perth clubs.

# Declan Wilkes

Tae kwon Do  
Black Belt



# Tyler Willmore

## ○ WA State Basketball in Townsville

Tyler has always played soccer from the age of 5, he took to basketball in Year 7 Albany Primary School. It seems to overtake the love of soccer.

He participated in Raiders every year (the Albany Development Program) and went to Country Champs and State Champs with them. Last year in Year 11 he decided to go to school Country Week with Basketball instead of Soccer.

October 2018 there were trials out in Perth for U18 WA Country Basketball team. Initially there were approx. 40 players from all over WA regional towns to get selected down to 20 to be part of the SPP – State Performance Program where Tyler was selected - he travelled to Perth every month for training, as well as training weekly with the WA Basketball Development Officer, Luke, here in Albany.

In February they then selected their team of 10 – big trials and game plays where coaches could see the 20 players at their best. Tyler was successfully selected in the team. We then had to travel every second weekend for training and games against State League teams in Perth together with the U18 WA Metro team. Together with this Tyler had to study and do homework – so lots of car reading!

There were 40 players travelling to Townsville QLD from WA. U18 Metro boys and girls and WA Country boys and girls – apparently it was worked out that Albany boys (Tyler and another NASHs student, Henry Alforque) were the furthest travellers in the tournament.

The National games was for every state. They were playing against some very experienced players, however the experiences they learned on that tour was amazing. Tyler enjoyed every minute – the games, other teams' sportsmanship, the experienced referees and the pure professionalism of the way the Nationals were run.

Tyler is still training weekly with Luke and continuing to do his own training at ALAC.

# Tyler Willmore

## State Basketball



# Tayla Winmar

## ○ UWA WACE Revision Courses

Tayla applied for and was selected to attend UWA's WACE Revision Courses in Perth in the July holidays

# Tayla Winmar

UWA WACE  
Revision Courses



# Lizzie James

## ○ Philharmonia Choir – Sydney Opera House

*ChorusOz is always the highlight of my year with Sydney Philharmonia Choirs. We welcome back old friends and meet plenty of new ones and achieve something truly extraordinary. This year's challenge was near Herculean in scope - three works by Beethoven spanning his operatic, religious and symphonic works. Three contrasting works all requiring unending energy from the chorus but all contributing to Beethoven's vision of a world united in spirit through the power of music. Is this not what ChorusOz is, in the end? A bringing together of like-minded individuals to passionately explore music that can ultimately transform our outlook on the world? Thank you for all the preparation you put in before arriving for the first day and I hope you are as proud of the final result as I am. That rendition of the Ode to Joy shall live in my memory for a very long time.*

**Brett Weymark**  
**Artistic and Music Director**

# Lizzie James

Philharmonia  
Choir - Sydney  
Opera House



# Neville Talbot

- Conductor and main organiser of Albany Sinfonia's 'Night of Song' Concert at Albany Entertainment Centre, and their Performance at Denmark Festival of Voice

# Neville Talbot

Night of Song -  
Conductor



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Thank you for your attendance  
Congratulations on your achievements